



## OFFICE OF GOVERNOR MARK DAYTON

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### Governor Dayton's Budget for Bemidji

The Governor's budget proposal makes significant investments across Minnesota. For Bemidji he has proposed new investments in education from our earliest learners to new investments that will put the dream of higher education within the reach of every Minnesotan. The Governor's proposal also builds a fair tax system for every Minnesotan by asking the richest among us to pay their fair share in taxes, providing direct property tax rebates to homeowners, and making the largest reduction to the sales tax rate ever.

#### Dayton Budget for Bemidji – By the Numbers

<b>\$500</b>	<b>Property tax rebate for Bemidji homeowners</b>
<b>128</b>	<b>Taxpayers in Beltrami County who will pay more in income taxes</b>
<b>1602</b>	<b>Bemidji State University students who receive State Grant Program funding</b>
<b>\$300</b>	<b>Increase in financial aid for each State Grant Program recipient</b>
<b>13.3%</b>	<b>Property tax reduction for Beltrami County homeowners</b>
<b>2%</b>	<b>Property tax reduction for Beltrami County businesses</b>
<b>\$404</b>	<b>Funding increase per student for Bemidji Public Schools</b>
<b>\$2.1 million</b>	<b>Total funding increase for Bemidji Public Schools</b>

*"We understand that there is tough work ahead. We are committed to working together to address our state's challenges with a focus on the priorities we all share: balancing the state's budget responsibly and expanding economic opportunity for all Minnesotans. That is how we will move our state forward."*

- Governor Mark Dayton

#### The Impact of Comprehensive Tax Reform on the Average Beltrami County Family

Median Beltrami County Household Income: \$61,202

Median Beltrami County Home Value: \$148,300

Property Tax Relief	<b>\$518</b>
Income Tax	<b>No Change</b>
Sales Tax	<b>No Net Change</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$518 Tax Cut</b>